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LIQUID CRYSTAL

DEVICE.

MANUFACTURING

METHOD

THEREFOR,

AND

ELECTRONIC

APPARATUS

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 3, 2003, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.